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SUBJ : PARSONS & WHITTEMORE SUES SIAM KRAFT PAPER

1. NEWSPAPERS MAY 11 CARRY STORY OF SUIT BY PARSONS & WHITTEMORE IN THAI CIVIL COURT AGAINST SIAM KRAFT PAPER CO. ON MAY 10. P& W SEEKING PAYMENT OF \$423,000 PLUS INTEREST IN DEFAULTED PROMISSORY NOTES DUE DECEMBER 31, 1 972. PAPERS REPORT P& W ALSO ACCELERATING PAYMENT ON OTHER DEBTS.

2. SUIT HAD BEEN EXPECTED FOR SOME TIME BY SKPC AND EMBASSY AS P& W LAWYER BERLACK OF WASHINGTON LAW FIRM HAD ARRIVED BANGKOK RECENTLY TO PREPARE CASE WITH LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE FIRM, TILLEKE & GIBBINS. SKPC OFFICIALS TOLD EMBASSY THEY WELCOMED SUIT AS THEY FEEL THEY ARE IN GOOD POSITION PRESENT EXPLANATION FOR DECISION RENEGE ON PAYMENTS.
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